

CLAIMS

We claim:

1. A litter box assembly comprising:
 - a housing having a bottom wall, a front wall, a back wall, a first side wall and a second side wall, an upper edge of said housing defining an upper opening extending into said housing, a covering being hingedly attached to an upper edge of said back wall, said covering being selectively positioned in an open position or in a closed position;
 - a partition wall being mounted within said housing and extending from said front wall toward said back wall, a first portion of said housing being defined between said partition wall and said first side wall, a second portion of said housing being defined between said partition wall and said second side wall;
 - said front wall having a front opening extending therethrough, said front opening extending into said first portion, said front opening having a bottom edge spaced from said bottom wall;
 - a mat being removably positioned in said first portion and substantially covering said bottom wall of said first portion, said mat having a top side having a plurality of bristles extending upwardly therefrom; and
 - a litter pan being removably positioned in said second portion.

2. The assembly of claim 1, wherein said housing has a height generally between 14 inches and 18 inches, said housing having a length generally between 24 inches and 28 inches, said housing having a width generally between 18 inches and 22 inches.

3. The assembly of claim 1, wherein said covering is substantially transparent.

4. The assembly of claim 1, wherein each of said first and second side walls has an aperture extending therethrough, each of said apertures being generally centrally disposed.

5. The assembly of claim 4, wherein each of said apertures has a generally oblong shape.

6. The assembly of claim 2, wherein said partition wall extends between 9 inches and 11 inches away from said front wall, said partition wall being spaced between 7 inches and 8 inches from said first side wall.

7. The assembly of claim 6, wherein said covering is substantially transparent.

8. The assembly of claim 7, wherein each of said first and second side walls has an aperture extending therethrough, each of said apertures being generally centrally disposed.

9. The assembly of claim 6, said front opening generally extending from said partition wall to said first side wall, said front opening having a height generally between 8 inches and 12 inches.

10. The assembly of claim 1, further including an air filter being positioned in said covering, said air filter being positioned over said second portion when said covering is in said closed position.

11. A litter box assembly comprising:

a housing having a bottom wall, a front wall, a back wall, a first side wall and a second side wall, an upper edge of said housing defining an upper opening extending into said housing, a covering being hingedly attached to an upper edge of said back wall, said covering being selectively positioned in an open position or in a closed position, said housing having a height generally between 14 inches and 18 inches, said housing having a length generally between 24 inches and 28 inches, said housing having a width generally between 18 inches and 22 inches, said covering being substantially transparent, each of said first and second side walls having an aperture extending therethrough, each of said apertures being generally centrally disposed, each of said apertures having a generally oblong shape;

a partition wall being mounted within said housing and extending from said front wall toward said back wall, a first portion of said housing being defined between said partition wall and said first side wall, a second portion of said housing being defined between said partition wall and said second side wall, said partition wall having a free edge directed toward said back wall, said partition wall extending between 9 inches and 11 inches away from said front wall, said partition wall being spaced between 7 inches and 8 inches from said first side wall, said partition wall having a height generally equal to 8 inches;

said front wall having a front opening extending therethrough, said front opening extending into said first portion, said front opening having a bottom edge spaced from said bottom wall, said front opening generally extending from said partition wall to said first side wall, said front opening having a height

generally between 9 inches and 12 inches, said front opening having an arcuate upper edge;

an air filter being positioned in said covering, said air filter being positioned over said second portion when said covering is in said closed position;

a cushioning material being mounted on and extending along said free edge of said partition wall;

a mat being removably positioned in said first portion and substantially covering said bottom wall of said first portion, said mat having a top side having a plurality of bristles extending upwardly therefrom; and

a litter pan being removably positioned in said second portion.